A MISHAP TO THE STEAMER MAIN.

BREAKING HER SHAFT NEAR SANDY HOOK.

COMING BACK TO PORT A FEW HOURS AFTER SAIL-

ING-WHO WERE ON BOARD.

Line, bound from this port for Bremen, which left her pler at Hoboken at 2 p. m. yesterday, broke her

shaft soon after crossing the Sandy Hook bar, at

tng and started down the bay to the assistance of

the disabled steamer. It was expected that she

would be brought back to her pier as soon as high

water would permit the steamship to cross the bar. This would be at 2:30 o'clock this morning.

The accident is likely to delay the sailing of the

Main for several weeks, if it is found necessary to

put in a new shaft. One will have to be forged here

or brought over from Bremen.

The steamship Rhein of the same line

will sail on Wednesday next. The Main's passengers and probably a portion of her cargo will be transferred to the Rhein.

The Main had fifty-six cabin passengers and a

considerable number in the steerage. She also carried a full cargo of freight, consisting of rye, tobacco, cotton and miscellaneous articles.

No particulars of the accident had been received at the company's office up to a late hour.

The Main is one of the oldest vessels of the line. She was built in 1868, at Greenock, Scotland, is brig-rigged, of 2,893 tons burden, and has four decks.

COWBIDED BY MRS. GRACE COURTLAND,

A YOUNG MAN, WHO RUINED HER DAUGHTER, BEAT

EN IN A STREET.

[BT TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

who was forced to marry the daughter of Martin J. Eviston about a month ago, was cowhide 1 at 10 o'clock las

land, of Chicago, known as the "Witch of Wall Street,"

land, of Cuicago, and a because he has been criminally intimate with her daugh ter, Marie. Mrs. Courtland, accompanied by her daugh

and drove to the Plankinton House, where they tool

supper about 7:30 o'clock. They went to the gambling

rooms in the block at Wisconsin and East Water-sts.,

but he was not there. They proceeded to Leigh's

pearding-house in Broadway, and were again disappoint

ed. Mrs. Courtiand said that they must beard the ilo in his his den and call upon Mr. Eviston, the father-in

law of the much-sought Jones. Reaching the house in Broadway, Mrs. Courtland coiled a whip under her arm

and asked for Mr. Jonea. Mr. Eviston, who came to the door in answer to the knock, said that the young man

was uptown and he had no idea where he could be found

Mrs. Courtland was determined, however, and was final-

ly admitted to the house, where she met Jones

After some persuasion he consented to walk out with Mrs. Courtland, and soon they joined the

land insisting upon an understanding of his intentions

says that Jones repiled that by the end of the year he

would make matters right by marrying her daughter

getting a divorce in the meantime from his present wife.

The promise was not satisfactory, and Mrs. Courtland

pressed him for a more definite understanding. They had now reached the corner of Broadway and Wisconsin-

st, and just as they came under the gaslight by the old library building Mrs. Courtland said:

Jones stopped and wanted to talk with the daughter,

nd asked Mrs. Courtland to drop behind. Instead of

complying, Mrs. Courtland drew the whip from under

"\_\_\_\_it," replied Jones, "what can I dot"
There was a whizzing sound as the sharp lash ou

through the air, and Jones ciapped both hands over his ages, having received the blow straight across the face.

He turned partly round and Mazie got between

THE NATIONAL SAENGERFEST.

BUFFALO DECORATED AND PREPARED FOR THE

FESTIVAL.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.!

rated. A costly triumphal area stands at the intersec-

tion of Main and Genesee sts., and there are severa

others almost as attractive on other streets. The Ger

man colors float from flag-staffs at almost every avail-

able point. The feature of the festival will be the

chorus of 2,000 voices. Among the solo singers will be

chorus of 2,000 voices. Among the solo singers will be Madame Gabrielle Borma, Madame Maria Schelle-Gramnf, Mrs. Weils B. Tanner, Caristian Fritsch, Max. Heinrich and Joseph Benediet. New-York, Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Louis, Louisville and Cinclunati will send large delegations, and the remote South and West will also be represented. The featival will continue for five days and there will be evening and two afternoon concerts.

COMMITTING SUICIDE IN PRISON.

READING Penn., July 14. - Frederick

Schuldt, sr., to-night had his son Frederick arrested for threatening his life. The son was locked up and a half hour afterwards was found dead in the cell, he having

hung himself with strips torn from his shirt. The elder Schuldt is one of the wealthlest estizens in Reading.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 14.—The preparations

"I want to know what you mean to do, sir."

"Now give me some decided answer."

her arm and said;

where it was understood that Jones spends much ti

MILWAUKEE, July 14.-William C. Jones,

Alex. Roux,
Miss Lizzle Driscoll
Mrs. Elise Elwang,
Dr. W. Simon,
F. Grunwald,
F. A. Burchardi,
Friedrich Gloystein,
Edgar Reineke,
F. Bogen,
Mrs. F. Bogen,
Mrs. F. Lerseb,
Miss Elli Nicolas,
Mrs. Henry Barkhau

Miss Elli Nicolas, Mrs. Henry Barkhausen,

Sister Jonanue Bruns, J. Davis, Karl Ficke, Mcs. Henriette Frochlich, Phil. B. Perry, Miss Lillie Mayer,

four decks.

The full list of cabin passengers is as follows:

H. Couried, Miss Amalie Eichrodt, Mrs. W. Simon,

Bernard Rosing, Miss L. B. Lawrence,

Miss I. B. Lawrence F. W. Reimler, Mra. S. M. Nielson, Frank Lersch, Miss Ethel Lersch, Heury Barkhawsen, Friedrich de Cigals, William José, Mrs. William José, Hermann Schmidt, Mrs. C. Schilemann, Miss Gretchen Pane.

s. Marg. Krekeler,

Hermann He; n, Mrs. Mary Sieper, Mrs. Amanda Mayer, Geo. L. Mayer,

The steamship Main, of the North German Lloyd

# THE SUEZ CANAL QUESTION.

THE AGREEMENT UNPOPULAR IN ENGLAND. THE MERCANTILE AND SHIPPING INTERESTS NOT SATISFIED-A DISPOSITION TO CENSURE THE GOVERNMENT-CHOLERA SPREADING IN EGYPT.

The cable letter to THE TRIBUNE states that the general feeling in London is that the Madagascar affair will not lead to a rupture of relations between England and France. The Suez Canal agreement is condemned with complete unanimity on political and commercial grounds. The mercantile and shipping interests denounce the concessions obtained from M. de Lesseps as futile. It is believed that if a vote could be taken in the House of Commons now, it would adopt Sir Stafford Northcote's resolution of censure. More stringent rules for the exclusion of foreign cattle from England cannot be enforced without new legislation. The prices received at the Beckford sale were good. Sarah Bernhardt has been welcomed in London by brilliant and cordial audiences. The cholera is spreading in Egypt.

### ENGLAND, FRANCE AND THE CANAL. [BY CABLE TO THE TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, July 14.—The relations between England and France have reached this week the highest int of tension since the demonstrations of the Bonspartist Colonels under the Third Empire. Mr. Gladstone's statement on Wednesday respecting the outrages on the British Consul in Madagascar impressed those present as much by the gravity of his manner as by the gravity of the facts. The French affect to doubt the accuracy of the narrative, but though the source of the information is not officially stated, it is known to have been transmitted from the naval officers concerned. Continental opinion is unanimous that the outrages are so serious as to leave France no option but to disown Admiral Pierre and to offer full reparation. Diplomatists in London express the same view with unusual frankness. Hence the general feeling is that this particular incident will not occasion a rapture of relations between the two Powers. M. Jules Ferry's pacific declarations point to an easy solution; but M. Challemel-Lacour's tone continues fretful. The French press at first ignored Mr. Gladstone's statement, but has since discussed it irritably as a trumped-up case.

#### THE CANAL AGREEMENT. The opportune publication of the agreement be-

tween the British Ministry and M. de Lesseps respecting the Suez Canal smoothed down for a ment the ruffled French features. But the French now discover that England will not ratify the proposed bargain. Never was any scheme condemned with more complete unanimity than this. It is not from hostility to France. No party in England desires to quarrel with France. Everybody agrees with Mr. Bright that it will be better to settle the Suez question with France than against her. Everybody applands the Ministry for endeavoring to come to terms with M. de Lesseps, but everybody censures the bargain alike on political and commercial grounds. Not merely the shipping interest, but the whole mercantile community, is up in arms against it. The great meeting yesterday at Lloyd's, controlled by no class and free from party bias, proved utterly hostile to it, denouncing the concessions obtained from M. de Lesseps as futile and leaving the Canal the most profitable commercial monopoly in the

Englishmen insist on having a substantial share in the control of the administration of the Canal and a substantial reduction in the exorbitant tolls, and protest against an enormous advance of English capital to be spent by a foreign company, which refuses to accept English domicile. The lawyers protest against the compromise of the highest Imperial interests. Diplomatists regard Mr. Gladstone's admission that M. de Lesseps is in possession of a monopoly as fatal. But it is almost impossible to withdra w. No voice has been raised in defence of the Government save a plea of good intentions. Mr. Childers's answer to the deputation of the Chambers of Commerce yesterday contents nobody. The House would certainly today, if a vote were taken, adopt Sir Stafford North cote's resolution of censure. Mr. Gladstone's friends, meantime, think it a mistake to state the project with a full account of the reasons inducin g him to assent to it, giving time for the formation of such a body of hostile opinion as threatens to disturb the stability of the Ministry itself.

# PARLIAMENTARY INCIDENTS.

Mr. Gladstone's declaration on Monday touching the progress of business in the House of Commons effectually checked obstruction except with a few more reckless spirits. Good judges now say that if the measures mentioned be persevered with, it is unlikely that the session will end before the second

The Channel Tunnel Committee is now known to stand six against the tunnel to four in favor of it, some of the majority opposing it on commercial as well as on military grounds.

Mr. Chaplin's resolution favoring a more rigid exclusion of foreign cattle was carried in the face of Mr. Mundella's conclusive demonstration of the efficiency of the present system of protecting England against imported disease. The majority represents a combination of the depressed agricultural interests, caring mainly to raise prices. Mr. Chaplin intends to press Ministers to say what they will do in consequence of the vote; but the Privy Council authorities intimate that it will be difficult to enforce more stringent rules without fresh legislation, which is impossible this

It is not supposed that Mr. Bradlaugh intends to renew his physical struggle to enter the House, and it is equally improbable that he will be able to induce the judges to enter upon a contest with Parliament. His last manifesto, therefore, is believed to have been made mainly to keep his claim before the House, which remains stolld in the presence of cormous popular demonstrations in Mr. Brad-

# INTERNATIONAL COPYRIGHT.

The Times to-day discusses languidly the new movement for international copyright, which it is orted certain American authors intend to underand advises them to secure the co-operation of the publishers. The article bears no mark of inion er special knowledge.

LITERARY TREASURES. The Beckford sale continued during the week,

the price of everything being good, maintaining the average of previous portions of the sale, Smith's "Virginia," the well-known dedication copy,

unique, fetching \$3,000, presumably an American commission. The decision of the Ministry to purchase only the Stowe section of the Ashburnham manuscripts is received with chagrin by every scholar, and would be seriously challenged in Parliament if the session were too far advanced. Lord Ashburnham now considers himself free to treat with foreign governments or with individuals for the disposal of the remainder, but intends to sell at auction next year if he receives no good proposal

### AN EVENT OF THE SEASON.

The bazaar next Wednesday at the Fisheries Exhibition in aid of the Euglish Chapel at Berlin will be among the events of the season, enlisting the services of the Princess of Wales, who sells tea. Great numbers of fashionable beauties and other celebrities hold stalls, but the appearance of the Princess as a tea merchant rather scandalizes the more sober section of society.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt's appearance at the Gaiety Theatre is welcomed by audiences more crowded, brilliant and cordial than ever before. She is delighted by this reception. She played "Fédora" on Monday in a style surpassing her best performances in Paris. She has repeated the same play nightly, besides three matinées, retrieving the fortunes of the French season, which have been heretofore disastrous, various companies, Judic's

# THE NEW CANAL SCHEME.

excepted, playing five weeks to empty benches.

ENGLAND SEEKING FOR BETTER TERMS. LONDON, July 14 .- The Standard says the Government is sounding M. de Lesseps as to whether any nodification of the agreement in regard to the Snez Canal is possible. It is not believed, says The Standard, that M. de Lesseps will agree to its being materially modified. The son of M. de Lesseps was hastily summoned to Paris yesterday. He will return to London in a few days. It seems certain that the House of Commons will reject the scheme. At least thirty Liberals will oppose it and several others will abstain from voting on it. The Irish members will join the Conservatives in opposition to it.

M. DE LESSEPS'S INDIFFERENCE. LONDON, July 14 .- M. Fontane, secretary of the Suez Canal Company, in an interview confirmed the remarks made by M. de Lesseps that he (M. de Lesseps) was indifferent as to whether England accepted the agreement relative to a second Sucz Canal. He declared that speculators were opposed to the agreement and were interested in their own He said no English canal was possible because M. de Lesseps had obtained a complete concession, to interfere with which would be robbery. M. de Lesseps, he said, was determined to carry out his programme, with or without English help. If such help was refused, British ship-owners would suffer, for the tolls would be higher.

LONDON, July 14 .- At a meeting of ship-owners, held at Newcastle to-day, resolutions condemning the Government's agreement with M. de Lesseps

# MISCELLANEOUS FOREIGN NEWS.

CHOLERA SPREADING IN LOWER EGYPT. ALEXANDRIA, July 14.—Thirty-eight deaths from lera occurred at Damietta yesterday, fifty-seven at Mansurah and fifteen at Samanud. Since the outbreak of cholera at Mausurah eleven men and an officer attached to the troops forming the cordon ound that place died from the disease. The colonel and his staff became alarmed at the deaths and fled. The colonel has been replaced by a British

Cholera has appeared at Beihas and Chobar, near Tantah.

VIENNA, July 14.-Considerable alarm has been caused here by reports that cholera has appeared among the Austrian troops. The reports originated from the outbreak of a few cases of dysentery among the forces.

ENGLAND, IRELAND AND THE VATICAN. ROME, July 14 .- Cardinal Howard has left here for England. It is said his mission is to ascertain the tendency of the views of the English Government in regard to diplomatic relations between England and the

An article, written with the consent of the Pope which has appeared in the Rassegna, reviews the Irish question with the object of showing that the policy of the Vatican has been consistent throughout the present Pontificate, and for a period long anterior thereto. The article is an emphasia reassertion of the principles contained in the recent letter of the Pope to the Irish

A STRIKE OF TWO THOUSAND WEAVERS. LONDON, July 14.-Two thousand weavers

REPORTED RESIGNATION OF LORD RIPON. SIMLA, July 14 .- It is reported that the Marquis of Ripon has resigned the position of Vicercy of (Lord Ripon took his sent as Viceroy on June 8

LORD CARNARVON TO VISIT CANADA. TORONTO, Ont., July 14 .- A special cable says the Earl of Carnarvon will sail for Canada on the 23d of August. Lord Carnarvon was Secretary for the capacity he prepared the agreement between Canada and British Columbia known as the "Carnaryon Terms." Lady Carnaryon will accompany him.

WHIPPER-IN WINS AT KEMPTON PARK. LONDON, July 14.-This was the third day of the July meeting at Kempton Park. The race for the Kempton Park July Handicap was won by the Duke of Mr. Cumberiand's three-year-old chestaut colt Cheveley (late Paşiry Cook) came in second, and Colonel Forest er's six-year-old brown horse Toastmasier third. There were seventeen starters, including J. R. Kenne's four-year-old bay colt Golden Gate and Lord Rossmore's (formerly Mr. Lorillard's) five-year-old bay geiding Passale. Mr. Cumberland's three-year-old chestaut colt Cheveley

STATE OF THE LONDON MONEY MARKET. LONDON, July 14 .- The Economist of this week says: "The rate of discount for bank bills, sixty cays to three months, is 3% per cent, and for trade bills, sixty days to three months, 3% 24 per cent. Business has been restricted, owing to the fortnightly settlement, has been restricted, owing to the fortingfully settlement. Home Government securities have failed largely, owing to the behief that the Government's agreement with M. de Lesseps will increase the National debt. Expitian securities are bigner. There has been little business in American securities. Denver and Rio Grande and Louisville and Nashville are 12. Central Pacific and the others 14.6 % lower."

THE NATIONAL FELE DAY IN PARIS. PARIS, July 14.-Extensive preparations were made for the celebration to-day-the Pête day. A heavy gale prevailed last night, which de-

The unveiling in the Place Château d'Eau of the great statue of the Republic, which was one of the chief feat ures of the day's festivities, took place this morning with appropriate ceremonies in the presence of Senators, members of the Chamber of Deputies, Municipal Coun-cilors, and a vast concourse of people. The weather

during the ceremony was cloudy.

The Prefect of the Seine said in his address, pointing The Prefect of the Schill and of which is an olive branch; "The 'Republic' holds in he hand as olive branch, showing that the period of violence is passed, and that universal suffrage has replaced revolution."

Frame, he said, " is unwilling to impose her own will

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upon other nations, but wishes to live at home free and respected."

The President of the Municipality also spoke. He said he should have been happy had an act of elemency marked the ceremony. This remark referred to the refusal of the Government to grant amnesty to Aparchists.

THE COMTE DE CHAMBORD'S CONDITION. London, July 14.—The latest news from Vienna indicates that the Comte de Chambord is slightly

VIENNA, July 14 .- The Comte de Paris and the other Orleanists who have been here since the Comte de Cham-bord became seriously ill have left for Paris.

CHINESE TROOPS SENT TO TONQUIN. Hong Kong, July 13.-Three thousand Chinese troops have been ordered from Canton to Yamchan, on the Tonquin frontier.

AN OUTBREAK THREATENED IN CRETE. LONDON, July 14.-Affairs in Crete, owing to the resistance of the people to the payment of taxes, are very grave. Committees are being formed throughout the island to resist illegal measures of the Porte. An outbreak is expected.

REPORTED DEFEAT OF CETEWAYO. DURBAN, South Africa, July 14.-Fighting continues in Zululand. It is reported that Cetewayo has

GENERAL ALFARO'S TRIUMPH IN ECUADOR. [BY CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN CABLE.] GUAYAQUIL, via Galveston, Tex., July 14 .--

The steamer Comus has left for Payta, the French ship Kerguelen for Callao, and the Italian ship Victor Pisani will leave to-day for Callao. Everything is going on smoothly. Business is rapidly reviving.

PANAMA, July 14, via Galveston.—Advices to The Panama Star and Herald state that the resistance of General Veintemilla was generally feeble, although the main fort, bold out, viacousty. the main fort held out vigorously. The towns ple received General Alfaro's troops with delirious enthusiasm. General Alfaro, while dismounting at the Colombian Consulate, was fired at by a colored man. The bullet grazed him, and struck an onlooker. The would-be assais in was eized, court-martialied and shot. He had been bribed to kill the veterious leader. In his proclamation, Alfaro informs the inhabitants of Guayaquii that they may elect their own authorities, and jour a separate government if preferred. The three sectional governments may unite in calling a National convention of Ecuadorians.

COUNTERFEIT TREASURY BONDS IN CUBA. HAVANA, July 14.-Further investigation shows that among the Treasury bonds deposited in the Treasury at intervals by the Spanish Bank are \$64,000 in counterfeits. At the Matanzas branch of the Treasury a still larger amount of counterfeit bonds has been discovered, while there is a probability that four books, with bonds representing \$500,000, have disappeared from the Treasury.

## FOREIGN NOTES.

GOTHENBURG, July 14.-While a storm was in progress here, two houses were struck by lightning. Two of the occupants were killed and many others were hijured.

BERLIN, July 14 .- General Bronsart von Schellendorf, Minister of War, has been inspecting the fortresses on the eastern frontier, and has drawn up a report advocating an extension of strategic railways in East Prussia on a large scale. CITY OF MEXICO, July 14 .- Sir Spencer St. John, the British Minister, arrived here yesterday, and was met at the station by many prominent Englishman. He will present his credentials on Tuesday.

LONDON, July 14.—It is said that James Ca-

rey and Farrell, who were informers in the trials of the Phoenix Park murderers at Dublin, are detained in Newgate, pending their shipment to a British colony. Chatham, Out., July 14.—The Eric and Huron Railway bridge over the Thames River was carried away this morning by the flood. MONTREAL, July 14.—The appeal of W. C. Phelan, the

Boston forger, for a new trial was rejected to day, and the judgment of the court below for his extradition was O'Connor Don (Liberal) have been nominated for the seat in the House of Commons for Wexford Borough, 40

fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Healy, who successfully contested the recent election in County session on Peruvian matters. The Government has sent Dionyeo Derteaueo, a Peruvian notable, to Chilian, where Garcia Calderon, the Peruvian President, is now

BUENOS ATRES, July 14.-The Chamber of National Deputies is having stormy debates on the subject of religious teaching in the public schools, which is now the principal topic of discussion. The Liberals are in the majority. The Catholics are seeking signatures to a

# THE CUBAN REVOLUTION.

General Ramon Leocadio Bonachea, who arrived here a few days are, came with the express pur pose of forming the Cubans residing here into a united body whose chief object will be to give aid to those of their fellow-countrymen who are at present engaged in war on the Spanish authorities. A proclamation drawn up by General Bounchea was issued in Key West, where the insurgents have a thoroughly organized society, and copies of it have been circulated here also. It closes with a call to arms and a "Long live the Cuban Republic," and is sigued by General Bonachea, "Chief of the

A prominent Cuban business man said yesterday to TRIBUNE reporter: "The Spaniards are the natural ene mies of the Cubans. We revolted from Spanish misrule just as your forefathers revolted from British misgovernment, but, unfortunately, there the comparison cada. You are a free people, we are in bondage; but you can reat assured of our tining: I am a sober, common-place business man and not given to braggadocio out I tell you that the Cubans will never give in. One by one, as the ranks of the insurgents are thinned, will their brethren here give up whatever positions they may held and step in to fill up the gaps. We will all give our money, our energies and our time, while the younger and if need be the older also will give up their lives in the cause. General Bonachea is not only a devoted Cuban, but he is a good soldier and an excellent leader of men also, and though the odds are terrible, we are playing a game worth winning."

A meeting will be held in this city to-day, probably of a private character, at which General Bonachea will precide. just as your forefathers revolted from British misgovern

# REPORTS ABOUT YELLOW FEVER.

Washington, July 14.—The Surgeon-General of the Marine Hospital Service has been informed that the bark Salome sailed from Galveston, Texas, yes terday for Hampton Roads with all well on board. This ressel has been infected with yellow fever. Information

NEW-ORLEANS, July 14.—The president of the Board of Health to-day stated that there has not been a single case of yellow fever in this city the present season. He further stated that if any case of fever occurs, it will be

# INDIANS ON THE WAR-PATH.

TOMBSTONE, Ariz., July 14.-Reports from mora, Mexico, are to the effect that the Apaches are making a descent on the districts of Monteguma and San Parcipa, committing murders and stealing cattle. A dispatch to *The Epitaph* from Oposura states that a band of twenty savages attacked Haclenda Parelpa, six miles south of Oposura, killing three men. Colonel Ban dota started in pursuit of the Indians with thirty Mexi-can troops. He found the bodies of the three men. It is known that twelve men have been murdered by the Apaches in the neighborhood of Opecura smoc General Crock took their families from the Sierra Madres.

# GENERAL PITCHER EXONERATED.

BATH, N. Y., July 14.-The Board of Trusces of the Soldiers' Home met in executive session this morning, when resolutions were adopted fully exouer morning, was resolutions were supposed in a decom-mending his course, and discharging the Rev. John Cowas, James Turner and Felix Duffy from the Home; also exonerating Trustee Jonathan Robie and Quarter-master Leavans from the charges preferred.

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES-BY TELEGRAPH

TO BE TRIED FOR CAUSING AN ACCIDENT.

NEW-HAVEN, Conn., July 14.—The telegraph
operator Welch, whose negligence caused the recent collision
on the New-York and New-England road at Planville, by
which several persons were killed, has been captured and I
now under argest at Southington, Conn. He was held in
\$2,500 ball.

\$2,500 ball, ACCESSORY TO HER HUSBAND'S MURDER.
AN ACCESSORY TO HER HUSBAND'S MURDER.
RICHMOND, Va., July 14.—Barbara Miller, colored
on trial as an accessory in the murder of her husband, Danis
Miller, by Charles Henry Lee, was to day found guilty of mi
der in the first degree as accessory before the fact. BONDS AND SECURITIES STOLEN.

WILLIAMSPORT, Penn., July 14.—The store of William Weaver, at Montoursville, was entered by burglas last night and rebbed of \$2.000 in Catawisas Retiroad bond 6,0000 miscellaneous securities, \$6000 in cheeks and \$200 in Catawisas Retiroad bonds. There is no clew to the thieves.

GREAT DAMAGE BY STORMS

MUCH DESTRUCTION IN WESTERN TOWNS BUILDINGS UNROOFED, TREES BLOWN DOWN AND MANY PERSONS INJURED.

Sr. Louis, July 14.-The restoration of telegraphic communication, which was badly broken last night, reveals the fact that the storm, a part of which swept over this city, was general in character, and traversed not only a large part of Missouri, but covered vari ons sections of Kausas, lowa and Illinois. The velocity of the wind in this city was fifty miles an hour, and it from the north and northwest. No serious individual losses were sustained, but a great number of minor ones are disclosed, in the way of damage to roofs, gable ends of houses, chimneys, shutters, signs, fences, trees, sarubbery, etc., the whole of which will amount to many thousands of dollars. Some slight injuries to persons are reported, but nobody was seriously hurt. East St. Louis also suffered in a similar manner, and a train of twenty-five cars moving on the Belt road, on the river front, were blown from the track, and most of them badly wrecked. At Belleville, Ill., a number of houses were more or less injured, none seriously. At Alton, Ill. three churches lost part of their roofs and walls, and the Laclede Hotel was dismantled. Several other buildings were slightly injured and the streets were littered with

At Sumner, Ill., a large flouring mili was unroofed and heavy damage caused to the machinery and stock from the deluge of rain which rushed through the building from top to bottom. Several other buildings were more

At Carmi, Ill., several houses were slightly shattered,

but no serious damage was done.

At Olney, Ill., two churches were badly injured and a large number of trees uprooted. Other damage was

Conductor Watson was badly hurt, the baggage man slightly wounded and six passengers injured. The latter were taken to Linneus, Mo., and cared for. Mrs. Perry, of Linneus, had her ribs and collar-bone broken and will probably die. Mrs. Lolley, of Sullivan County, Mo., was badly hurt on the head and side. Alexander Craig, of Cincinnati, had a wrist dislocated and fingers broken. J. C. Ross, of Linnens, had his shoulder fractured. S. T. smith, of Ottumwa, Iowa, was jammed be-tween cars and badly hurt. A, Ross, of Linneus, received a scalp wound. In the vicinity of Linneus the storm did great damage to crops, buildings and farm property generally. At Wells ville, Mo., the school-house was nearly destroyed. At Jefferson City the main cell building of the penitentiary

was unroofed, and one or two other houses damaged. Dispatches from Marysville, Mo., say that twenty business houses were uaroofed, a number of small houses and shops wrecked, the City Hall unroofed and partly blown down, and the Post Office and two newspaper offices badly damaged. The large elevator of Brinton & Welch suffered severely, and the Kansas City Railroad Depot and the Wabash freignt-house wer badly injured. Twenty thousand dollars will not cover ported to be almost completely wrecked, not a dozen houses in town escaping injury. One man was fatally wounded and thirty cars were blown from the track.

The little town of Sidney is also reported badly da aged. At Malden, Mo., one church, a school-house, the Masonic Hall and an ubfinished hotel were demolished,

others greatly damaged. The tower of the Normal School was blown down, and several dwellings were moved from their foundations. Wilcox, Mo., a small town seven miles from Maryeville, had nearly all of its nouses mjured. Several other hamlets and small vilages in Missouri were more or less damaged. The orm was accompanied by a heavy rainfall in most localities, and in some places large hall feel in great quantities, doing serious injury to orchards, gardens and

BUILDINGS DEMOLISHED IN DAROTA BISMARCK, Dak., July 14 .- A bout 6 o'clock resterday afternoon the heaviest wind storm ever known in this region began, and insted about an hour and a haif. The wind at one time reached the velocity of sixty miles an hour. Lumber piles were blown down The wind storm was followed by a shower which daughter, who was waiting on the sidewalk swelled into rain at a point within twelve miles from The conversation was confined to one topic, Mrs. Court-Bismarck, and tending eastward. A dispatch from Dickinson says that one or two fronts were blown in by the storm, and that the shops being built at that point by her daughter was about to become a mother, and asked storm, and that the shops being built at that point by the Northern Pacific Railroad Company were damaged that he supply funds for her to escape into the country

The prediction is made at the United States Signal Office that the storm will be severe in the East.

Jamestown, Dak., July 14.—There was a good fall of rain throughout the James River Valley yesterday. The crops had been intured by the previous drouth, but the rain insures a fair yield of wheat.

# THE LOSS IN OTHER PLACES.

LARNED, Kan., July 14.-The particulars of the tornade on the Pawnee River are arriving. Row's and Butler's mills were blown away, and Fitzgerald's and lambs. The corn is cut so that it will not hide a jack and isints. The corn is cut so that if will not hide a lack rabbit. The hill northwest of Brown Grove looks as black as if it had been burned. The large halistones cut the grass as if it was ploughed and the heavy rain fol-lowing washed it away. The extent of the damage is unknown.

TRENTON, Mo., July 14 .- A severe storm passed over this town yesterday. The Presbyterian Church, the public school and other buildings were badly damaged. The destruction in the vicinity is estimated at from \$20,000 to \$30,000.

# A LAND CONSPIRACY DISCOVERED.

R. C. MITCHELL, RECEIVER OF THE DULUTH LAND

OFFICE, ARRESTED. [BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

He turned partly round and Mazie got between her enraged mother and her late lover, but Mrs. Courtland pushed her out of the way and cut Jones again with all her strength across the neck. He turned and fied, Mrs. Courtland following as close upon his beels as possible, whinding the lash about his body and legs. In the flight Jones loss his white hat, and was considerably demoralized. He was last seen making his way at a terrific pace north on Broadway, and up to a late hour had not been seen. A crowd gathered in a short time and stood about Mrs. Courtland with wondering looks, but no one approached her, and she walked away without molestation. Mrs. Courtland with wondering looks, but no one approached her, and she walked away without molestation. Mrs. Courtland was summoned to appear before the Chief of Police to-day and threatened with prosecution if she persisted in carrying out her programme of essitiating newspaper men who were this runnered in bringing her daugiter's disgrace before the public. Jones is at his father-in-law's house, but refuse to say anything. St. Paul, Minn., July 14 .- A great sensation has been caused in Duluth, Minneapolis and this city to-day by the arrest at Dulath of R. C. Mitchell, The Daily Tribune of that city editor of The Duily Tribune of that recently appointed receiver of the Duluth recently appointed receiver of the Charge of conspiracy Land Office, on the charge of conspiracy Land Office, on the charge of conspiracy to defraud the Government out of valuable pine lands. The scheme was that Mitchell, H. L. Gordon, a rich Minneapolis lumberman, and A.G. Lovejoy, of Thompson, a village twenty miles this side of Duluth, should hire twenty-eight men to go into the woods and squat each on 160 acres of pine land, build shantles and improve them, and at the end of six months get a title and assign these lands to the three North American Saengerband on Monday were com-pleted to-day, the fluishing touches being given to the new music hall, which is capable of holding 10,000 imployers. Each hired man was to receive \$35 a month supplies and to be paid \$100 at the end The men did of the six months. people. An unprecedented success for the festival is predicted. Most of the business houses are gayly deco-April and settle the lands designated, but have never received their pay, although they have demanded it frequently.

Last Saturday ex-Governor Marshall, a special agent of the United States Land Office, accidentally discovered this conspiracy, and on Monday, in the presence of United States District-Attorney Searle, Assistant Attorney Congdon and Goversor Marshall, Lovejoy somewhat reluctavity confessed the whole matter. Several affidavits were taken during the week from the men themselves, and sufficient was learned to establish thirty overt acts of conspiracy. Mitchell was appointed to the Land Ollics only a fortnight ago, depineting Spaiding, an official against whom not a breath of complaint, had been made. It was thoroughly understood that the appointment was a political one, to reward Mitchell for his above for Congressman Nelson in last fall's campaign. The amount of land attempted to be taken was 4,480 acres, worth over \$6,000 and situated in township sixty-three, range sixteen in this State, in the Vermillion range region. Seven of the men filed May 3, 1883, on their quarter sections, Mitchell waived examination, and has until Monday to procure bondsmen. States District-Attorney Searle.

MORRIS K. JESUP'S YACHT LAUNCHED. PHILADELPHIA, July 14 .- At the American hip Building Company's ship yard the new steel yacht Rover was successfully, launched to-day. The yacht was built for Morris K. Jesup. Lieutenant Gorringe states that work is coming in with rapidity, the com-pany having this week contracted for the construc-tion of two new iron three-masted contreboard schooners, three tugs and two new iron ships.

AN EARTHQUAKE SHOCK IN ILLINOIS. CAIRO, Ili., July 14 .- A slight shock of artnquake was felt liere this morning about 2 o'cleek.

THE PERSIDENT'S WESTERN TRIP. FARGO, Dak., July 14 .- The Presidential party will leave Rollins, on the Union Pacific Railroad, on August 3. It will consist of President Arthur, GovPRICE FIVE CENTS.

## TOPICS IN LEADING CITIES.

SAN FRANCISCO.

POLITICS-BUSINESS-HEAVY LOSSES BY

SAN FRANCISCO, July 14.—In the opinion of ma Democrata, two of their Railroad Commissione Humphreys and Carpenter, have not exerted the selves to reduce fares and freights. Twenty-ax Democratic County Committees have passed long resolutions demanding their impeachment. This week the recreant officials were brought before the pemocratic State Central Committee, but the result 4:45 p. m. News of the accident was telegraphed to the company's office at Hoboken, and Superintendent Hoffman procured a were excluded. A special committee of inve tion was appointed to report on the third Wedness day in August, but this is regarded as a mere party device to gain time, as the chances are that if a special session of the Legislature was called the Democrate could not get a majority to remove the two Commissioners. This action will go hard with them in the next campaign, as reform has been their trump card, and they have reformed nothing.

Several correspondents of New-York newspaper have written letters recently declaring that no or will invest in San Francisco property, as capital being turned toward the Northern cities of Pot land, New-Tacoma and Seattle. The truth is the San Francisco was never livelier than this year, San Francisco was never livelier than this year, and the State never had a better class of manigrants. All the crops are sood, and the year will be a prosperous one. Real estate here is in good formand, and more new buildings are going up than in any year since the "Great Bonauza" stock excitement. The Oregon and Puget Sound country is having a great "boom," but everything is everdens. There are twice as many business men and laborers in all the cities as can make a living, and stoperty is held at eddiculously high prices. A collection

Guaymas but wer recently arrested and returns has been released in \$22,000 bail, which is credient than the amount of his steelings. He clares confidence in his ability to escape all punts ment, owing to political influence. There is nequestion that he had partners in the embezziemen who are working to save him from the term in the

Mention has been made in these dispatches of the extraordinary number of destructive fires on the count this year. In the last twelve years the losses by fire have averaged \$1,500,000 a year, with infirst six months of this year the insurance loss have been over \$1,500,000, while the total loss falls only s little short of \$2,000,000. This record is a very bad one, as the long dry season is only half

British Columbia line are increasing. It has been a recognized fact here for some time that such frauda were going on along the northern border. The work of excluding Mongoliaus is not much more successful in this city, because of a lack of checks on the Custom House inspectors. No good method has been devised for identifying returning Chinamen, and it is morally certain that many new argivals slip in by every Chinese steamer on old pass

Among well-known visitors who have arrived from the East during the week are Horatic C. Burchard, Director of the Mint, and D. O. Mills. The city is very dull now, as all fashionable people are at the summer resorts. The Yosemite Valley and Monterey are both crowded this season.

Theatres are doing a fair business, and Wallack's company with the "Silver King" is playing to crowded houses in the third week, -a success that is

CHICAGO.

FATHER RITCHIE'S POSITION-HIGH LICENSE

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.] July 14 .- Father Ritchie, the recusant the Bishop, and one which will be likely to precipitate an issue between them and bring the rec up for trial. In a letter to his vestry and wardene he withdraws his resignation upon the ground that the parish would suffer more by at than by his continuance in the rectorship, even though he cannot yield to the Bisnop's will. He also urges that he has been led to this conclusion by the a tvice of other priests throughout the country, and says: There are only two parties who have the right to take official action upon my resignation-your own body and the Bishop. You have refused to accept it. The Bishop has not even acknowledged the receipt of it. Under these circumstances, I believe it my duty to withdraw it and to remain with you as your rector." This makes a square issue, and as there is no possibility that the Bishop will retreat from his position the future bearing of the case will be full of interest to the Church at large as well as here. His parish has also resolved, w

out a dissenting voice, that his action is viewed with unqualified satisfaction. The president of the Citizens' League has announced that proceedings will be begun soon to test me nullification of the High License bill by the city authorities. The agents of the League have been collecting testimony about the late beensing basiness, which it is claimed will reveal the most astounding results.

The clubs of the city have been somewhat agitated by an order introduced in the Council asking why the private clubs are permitted to sell liquor to their members without paying licenses, like the saloons, and if they pay a special tax as retail liquor dealers. A consultation of legal precedents, however, has relieved them some, and it will probably amount to nothing more coan a fling at aristocratic drink-

The dislike between Henry Watterson and Mayor Harrison increases. The Louisville editor lets no occasion slip to fasten some opprobrious spitted upon the Mayor, and the other day he called him buffoon in his journal. As both gentlemen as Southerners, it has been expected here that the Mayor would send his address to Watterson, but he does not propose to do anything of the kind. He contents himself with calling Mr. Watterson a newspaper crank, and says that if Watterson called him a buffoon, he did so after having eaten a heavy dinner where the liquid refreshments counterbalances the solid. As this was the Mayor's condition at the famous Iroquois banquet, when he made the speech on the tariff that has provoked all the mud-throw ing the two men would seem to be about even Meanwhile some of the newspapers call upon the Mayor to fight or resign.

The Scovilles are again airing their dirty linen the courts, much to the sorrow rather than the gust of the community. Mrs. Scoville makes he appearance in a supplemental petition in her divo-case against her husband, asking for alimony. T facts set forth in the affidavit and answer are sin ply pitiful and show what a legacy of misery Guiteau trial has inflicted upon this unhappy fully. The wife is on the verge of massity, the he is broken up and the husband is the victim of leg

THE STEAMER SPARTAN LAUNCHED.
WILMINGTON, Del., July 14.—The steamer Spartan built for the Windsor line to ply between Philadelphia and Boston, was launched this morning at the Hartan & Hollingsworth company's yerd. She is 235 feet long, 37 to teet beam, and 26 feet depth of hold. Boston, and 26 feet depth of hold.

8. ANGIER CHASE TO BE PARDONED.

BOSTON, July 14.—The Committee on Pardons, of the Executive Council, it has been stated on excellent authority, have reported favorably on the potition for paron of S. Angier Chas, of Pall liver, who is now serving a term in the state Prison or his connection with financial irregularities that a few years ago were notorious.

NIAGARA PARK. COMMISSION MAPS.

ALBANY, July 14.—The Attorney-General has decaded that it is the duty of the State Engineer to prepare the necessary maps for the use of the Nagara, back Commission, provided it can be done without detriment to the service of the Department, in without detriment to the appropriated by the act should be used. persecution and constant wretchedness. The city has been in a flurry of Massonic and Odd.
Fellow excitement for the last day or two. The
excitement grows out of the annual conclave of the
Supreme Fample of the Patriarch Circle, a uniformed some-aciditary organization, and the departure of the delegation of Kuights Tamples for
Europe. Street parades and receptions have been
frequent, but to-day will witness the decartars of